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CITY OF MILPITAS RESPONDS TO INTERNATIONAL RUMORS

Milpitas, CA USA: The City of Milpitas has received miscommunications from outside sources related to the issue of Korean Comfort Women. One of the rumors states that the city will construct a statue or other memorial in a local park. This is incorrect.

Hearing troubling rumors regarding inappropriate past conduct during World War II, the City of Milpitas resolved to request Federal officials to look into the matter. Since that time, Milpitas has taken no further action and has no plans to take future action.

Since passage of this resolution, news sources and form letters emailed to city staff have falsely claimed that the City of Milpitas plans to place a Comfort Woman statue and erect a Korean War monument or other memorial per this resolution or as a result of another resolution. This is also false. None of these projects are planned within any City of Milpitas park or on any public property, nor will they be constructed in the City of Milpitas.

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